



ANSWERS

1. Sardonic means dry, understated or mocking speech or writing. A sardonic comment is accurate, is a little mean, and is intended to be funny, although it is delivered with a straight face. The word sardonic can also be used to describe a person.
2. to be funny
3. They add different points of view to a story; they can be comic relief; they can represent a cynical, pessimistic attitude about something; it can be a way to develop/reveal character, as well as a way to reveal how characters feel about each other.